



## CANCER BURDEN

### In 2000, the American Cancer Society estimates<sup>1</sup>

- 1,220,100 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States, including 19,900 in Minnesota.
- 552,200 cancer deaths will occur in the United States, including 9,000 in Minnesota.

The average annual age-adjusted mortality rate for cancer deaths<sup>2</sup> per 100,000 persons

**Minnesota: 155.6 National: 170.1**

*Minnesota ranks 42<sup>nd</sup> highest overall in cancer mortality rates among the 50 states and Washington, D.C.*

### LUNG CANCER

#### In 2000, the American Cancer Society estimates<sup>1</sup>

- 2,300 new cases of lung cancer will be diagnosed among men and women in Minnesota.
- 2,200 men and women will die of lung cancer in Minnesota.

**The average annual age-adjusted mortality rates for lung cancer deaths<sup>2,3</sup> per 100,000 persons, by race, 1992–1996**

	Minnesota	National
Overall	39.9	49.5
White	39.7	49.2
Black	62.4	60.0
Hispanic	26.9	19.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	21.4	23.9
American Indian/Alaska Native	70.8	29.5

### BREAST CANCER

#### In 2000, the American Cancer Society estimates<sup>1</sup>

- 2,800 new cases of breast cancer will be diagnosed among women in Minnesota.
- 600 women will die of breast cancer in Minnesota.

**The average annual age-adjusted mortality rates for breast cancer deaths<sup>2,3</sup> per 100,000 persons, by race, 1992–1996**

	Minnesota	National
Overall	24.5	25.4
White	24.6	25.1
Black	30.7	31.3
Hispanic	-	14.9
Asian/Pacific Islander	-	11.3
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	12.8

### COLORECTAL CANCER

#### In 2000, the American Cancer Society estimates<sup>1</sup>

- 2,000 new cases of colorectal cancer will be diagnosed among men and women in Minnesota.
- 900 men and women will die of colorectal cancer in Minnesota.

**The average annual age-adjusted mortality rates for colorectal cancer deaths<sup>2,3</sup> per 100,000 persons, by race, 1992–1996**

	Minnesota	National
Overall	15.8	17.5
White	15.8	17.1
Black	18.6	22.9
Hispanic	-	10.3
Asian/Pacific Islander	-	10.9
American Indian/Alaska Native	22.6	9.9

### PROSTATE CANCER

#### In 2000, the American Cancer Society estimates<sup>1</sup>

- 3,300 new cases of prostate cancer will be diagnosed among men in Minnesota.
- 600 men will die of prostate cancer in Minnesota.

**The average annual age-adjusted mortality rates for prostate cancer deaths<sup>2,3</sup> per 100,000 men, by race, 1992–1996**

	Minnesota	National
Overall	25.8	25.6
White	25.6	23.4
Black	76.6	54.8
Hispanic	-	16.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	-	10.8
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	14.7

<sup>1</sup> Source: American Cancer Society Facts and Figures, 2000. Estimates exclude about 1.3 million cases of basal and squamous cell skin cancers and in situ cancers, except urinary bladder, that will be diagnosed in 2000. Lung cancer rates include bronchus cancer. State death totals between 51-99 were rounded to 100.

<sup>2</sup> Source: CDC National Center for Health Statistics, vital statistics data, underlying cause of death, 1992–1996.

<sup>3</sup> Some data were excluded because there were 75,000 or fewer persons in the denominator or 20 or fewer deaths in the numerator.